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## BRIGGS' SUSPENSION.

How It Has Affected the Presbyterians Church.

A DIVISION MAY BE THE RESULT.

One Prominent Minister of Albany, New York, denounces the Church in His Sunday Morning Sermons. A New York Minister's Views on the Briggs Case.

ALBANY, June 5.—Rev. Dr. James East of the First Presbyterian church of the city in his morning sermon Sunday denounced his allusion to the Presbyterian denomination because of the decision of the general assembly in the Briggs case. Dr. East's church is one of the most influential in the city, and his congregation is made up of the most intelligent men in the city. After reviewing the action of the general assembly, and arraignment it for its bigotry, he said: "I leave the Presbyterian church because it has taken on a garment that has lain buried in the grave for more than two centuries. It smells of the earth and of death."

He then, with a dramatic gesture, "I break it off now," reasoning for leaving, saying that he considered that a first bathing of the questions would be but a guerrilla warfare with but little hope for success for the minority. He characterized the general assembly "as the most ignorant, most bigoted and reactionary body of men that I have ever seen." He advised that the laity movement in the Presbyterian church unite with the Congregationalist, the Cumberland Presbyterians, the Free Will Baptists and the broad wing of the Episcopalian church to form the great "Free Church of America."

Another Minister's View.

NEW YORK, June 5.—The Rev. Dr. Washington Square Methodist Episcopal church on the recent suspension of Dr. Briggs. He said: "Thursday, June 1, 1893, will long remain a marked day in the annals of American Presbyterianism. That day Dr. Charles A. Briggs was suspended from the office of minister in the Presbyterian church. It is not contended that he was suspended by any of the court that tried him in scholarship, love of the Holy Savior or Christian virtue. He simply held an all-out, some might say, war with those who were not in harmony with those held and urged by the majority of those who composed the court. For this he is under censure until he repents. Meanwhile he has lost nothing in Christian standing."

## BACK AT HOME.

The President Returns to Washington and His Summer Villa.

WASHINGTON, June 5.—President Cleveland returned to Washington at 7:30 Sunday from his short fishing trip at Cape Charles, Va., and was met at the station by Private Secretary Thurber with the president's carriage, and the two drove directly to the White House. Mr. Clark Davis did not accompany the president to Washington. Very few people were at the Pennsylvania station at this hour as the time of the arrival of Train 41 from Wilmington, was much earlier than the regular schedule time.

The president sent a telegram to Mr. Thurber informing him when he would arrive. The run from Exmore to Washington was made quickly and without any difficulty.

Mr. Cleveland stayed at the White House half an hour. Thurber called for his carriage and was driven to "Woodley"—his summer villa in the suburbs of Washington, where he had breakfast with Mr. Cleveland.

Mr. Cleveland is now as brown as a berry and the brief respite from business had had the effect of refreshing him both mentally and physically. He has had good sport and is much pleased with his trip.

## CHILI IN GOOD CONDITION.

President Montt Congratulates Congress Upon Foreign and Other Affairs.

VALPARAISO, June 5.—President Montt, in his speech on the opening of congress, said that the relations between Chili and other nations were friendly. President Montt congratulated Chili upon the settlement of the boundary dispute with Argentina and upon the fact that the United States of the United States for the submission of claims held by Americans to a board of arbitrators known as the Chilean claim commission.

Referring to the civil war of 1891, President Montt said he lamented that the foreign intervention against the government prevented him from granting general amnesty at this time, but he hoped, in view of the expressions of loyalty recently made by those here before in opposition to the government, to obtain a decree for amnesty to an early date.

In regard to the finances of the Chilean government, it was estimated that the resources for 1892 would be \$60,000,000 in paper and £1,500,000. The expenses it was estimated, would be £40,500,000 in paper and £1,400,000.

Kentucky Woman Killed in Chicago.

CHICAGO, June 5.—Mrs. Feible, who belongs to one of Kentucky's best families, and for many years resided in Louisville, was killed by a train in Edgewater and injured to such an extent that death followed a few hours afterward. Her son, Major Feible, was sent to Washington two years ago on an assignment for the Signal Corps here, and he has been here from time to time ever since. It is supposed he was killed by Indians. Mrs. Feible has been living at 1040 Winton avenue. Her husband met with accidental death in Louisville.

Is it an Infernal Machine?

DUBLIN, June 5.—An auspicious looking object, supposed to be an infernal machine, was found in the corridor of the Exchequer court in this city. The police are investigating.

## Booth Wore.

NEW YORK, June 5.—Mr. Booth's condition has changed for the worse, and it is now feared that the famous actor can not recover. Death is hourly expected.

## Twenty-Six Lives Lost.

ENGLISH, Tex., June 5.—Twenty-six of the men employed in the French oil mines were burned to death. Others were rescued.

## BOILED ALIVE.

Indianapolis Man Falls into a Vat of Scalding Water.

INDIANAPOLIS, June 5.—Eugene Hamm, 20 years of age, an employee of the Indianapolis basket works, fell into a vat of scalding water Friday evening and was almost literally boiled alive. The water came up to his neck, and it was fully a minute before he was rescued.

When his clothing was removed, his entire cuticle from his neck down peeled off. Hamm's sufferings were awful, and an attempt was made to place him under the influence of opiates, but neither chloroform nor morphine had any effect on him. There is no hope of his recovery.

NEGRO LYNNED IN ILLINOIS.  
Bob Law Within a Few Miles of Abram's Lincoln.

DECatur, Illa., June 5.—Twenty-five men walked into this city of 20,000 people Saturday morning and stoned up a man on the principal street, without meeting with any opposition. The victim was Samuel Bush, a negro accused of outraging two white women.

In the waiting trial, a guard of 15 men had been put on duty and an extra force of 100 men on the outside.

About 200 curious people stood around the jail all night, though most of them thought no serious attempt would be made to take the prisoner out.

At 10 o'clock next morning the two officers were surrounded by 25 armed men. The keys of the jail were demanded, but both officers declared they did not have them. The men then marched with sledgeshammers and clubs on the jail, and after a solid castiron on each thick doorway minutes elapsed before it was forced.

Martial law was forced, and when the two officers were captured, they were quiet, without muskets and mowed like body. They forced their way through the crowd and knocked on the jail door. Sheriff Mullifield and Special Officer Soddy just inside and refused them admission. One blow from a sledgeshammer in the doorway, and the two officers were surrounded by 25 armed men. The keys of the jail were demanded, but both officers declared they did not have them. The men then marched with sledgeshammers and clubs on the jail, and after a solid castiron on each thick doorway minutes elapsed before it was forced.

William Preacher of Farmington, Tenn., was killed by a tornado, and 10 houses in that neighborhood were blown down.

Great Destruction Done by Storms in That Section.

SEVERAL STATES VISITED.

Arkansas and Tennessee the Two States That Suffered the Most—Several Lives Lost and Vast Amounts of Property Destroyed—an Appeal for Aid Sent to the Relief of the Stricken.

MEMPHIS, June 5.—Endura, Ark., was destroyed by a tornado. All the dwellings were blown down or badly damaged. E. Friedlander, the largest merchant in the town, was killed, and a negro child also. A number were slightly wounded, but none seriously.

Plains, Ark., was also severely damaged by a tornado.

Mr. Manning of Poplar Grove Ark., was fatally wounded by a tornado.

Canton, Tenn., was visited by the storm, which caused great damage.

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This is a week of sweet girl graduates.

The Republicans' convention Saturday  
overlooked an important work. They  
should have resolved favorably to the  
late Republican General Assembly, which  
made appropriations for the year, of one  
million dollars more than the receipts willFinal decision in the master of Sunday  
closing of the World's Fair will not be  
rendered by the Federal Court until  
Thursday next. The time taken for the de-  
liberation by the Court should insure the  
deliberation of an opinion clear, convincing  
and conclusive.The resolution adopted in the county  
convention Saturday, endorsing McKinley  
for a second term, went down hard with  
some of the Republicans present, and  
should any other candidate enter the field  
against him, the McKinley adherents will  
have hard work keeping a few of the  
delegates in line.The suggestion comes from Chicago that  
the World's Fair may have to be continued  
throughout next year, in order to enable  
the management to recoup itself for the  
vast expenditures that have been made.  
There is no harm in the recurring idea. In  
fact, the longer such a vast educational ex-  
position should be kept open the better, but  
it would not be desirable for this year's  
business if the idea should become wide-  
spread that the people could afford to take  
their own time about going to the Exposition.  
Any practical amusement manager  
could tell the Fair Directors that such a  
course would be an unwise policy. What  
the Exposition appears to need most at the  
present time is a clear-headed and able ex-  
ecutive officer.

FINDLAY AGAIN.

There is a dash of natural gas at  
Findlay, Ohio, and the glass manufacturers  
there located propose to move to Indiana,  
where the flow of gas is abundant and per-  
manent. Six hundred dwellings at Findlay  
will take with them 4,000 people. This  
is the first annual summer shut-  
down of the local business, due to the  
fact that Republican organs are an evidence of  
the rules and trade done by the  
connection is not at once apparent.—Phil-  
adelphian Record.

Only a Little Thing.

A hospital for incurables is a very  
noble and worthy charity, and I am glad  
that our productive city is without a pro-  
vision for the care of sufferers. I wish,  
however, that the kindly descriptive  
name of such institutions could well be  
modified as not to connote the depravity  
of every person received within their  
doors. "A place to die in" is not a  
cheerful title for one's last earthly home,  
and the omission of this reminder from  
the official name could so easily be supplied  
as to parades it seems worse than useless. It  
is wonderful how a little consideration  
sweetens the bread of charity.I once visited a home for broken down  
gentlemen, presided over by a woman  
who made giving and receiving alike  
blessed. I added thoughtlessly to the  
old people as "inmates." "We never  
call them inmates," said she in tones  
so full of sympathy that even those  
spoken of as "guests" it makes so little  
difference to us and so much to them." —  
Kate Field's Washington.

Nest Left the Ark on April 29.

Saturday, April 29, is the day marked  
in all ancient calendars as being the  
one upon which Noah and his family  
quitted the ark after having witnessed  
the siege of the great deluge. The day  
is marked in all ancient calendars, especially British, as easterus; Noe de la  
Judea, the 17th of March, the day upon which  
Noe, his family and their great floating  
collection of natural history specimens  
set sail, being designated in the same  
class of early printed literature as In-  
troits Non in area, "the day of Neac's  
entrance into the ark." Why these days  
were chosen as the ones upon which the  
supposed embarkation and debarcation  
were made are enigmas which the anti-  
quarians have not yet solved.—St. Louis  
Review.

A Comforting Assurance.

Mrs. Placey, an old lady who had been  
dying for the last 10 years, was drawn  
by telling her she wouldn't be here  
much longer and he must think of her  
often. "Never mind, Mrs. Placey," said  
Robbie, who had just been taking part  
in the Decoration day exercises: "If I  
put flowers on your grave every Saturday  
and a United States flag"—Springfield  
Hospita.

Correspondence holds a double power,

inasmuch as the pen can comfort  
and cheer and elevate, may become the  
weapon that wounds and destroys.In the case of money finding is having  
in law, but money is the only personal  
property the value of which passes with  
the possession.

THE PEOPLE TWICE ROBBED.

Is the Matter of Hat Trimmings, Was  
She Guilty? Get the Defended Dates!How the protective tariff works loss to  
the people is illustrated by the hat trimmings  
case, which is now decided. The law has  
been upheld, custom duties on hats trimmed  
and the custom house officials appointed  
in the protectionists interest labored to  
bring them under a schedule that would  
greatly increase the duty. The importers  
protested and went to the courts to  
get the excess of duty refunded to them.  
Meanwhile they sold the trimming to  
the public at prices that covered the in-  
crease of cost caused by the improper  
ruling of the custom house officials. The  
courts said the importers were right,  
and the excess of duty must be refunded  
by the government.The protective department under Pres-  
ident Harrison continued to look at the  
matter from the protectionist stand-  
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They make pins and bracelets out of Goldwire and all kinds of hair work in pins, rings and chains.

They are expert hair-workers in Jewelry and their prices are very reasonable.

The Commodore is the smallest perfect man in the world and all are pleased to have a memento.

OUR LADIES' SUIT DEPARTMENT

This week furnishes an attraction in a Lady's all Wool Blazer Suit with fine Satin Shirt Waist added for \$4.50 -- See window.

Popular Wash Dress Goods Just Arrived.

An elegant new line of the most popular 12 1/2c. wash dress fabrics of this season -- they come in both dark and light colorings, to suit all tastes.

# BELL'S.

LEADING DRY GOODS STORE.

The Lima Times-Democrat.

THE TIMES-DEMOCRAT PUB. CO.

COUNTING ROOM, 221 NORTH MAIN STREET

TELEPHONE CALL, No. 84.

MONEY TO LOAN?

Money loaned on real estate security in sums of \$200 and upwards. Privileges given for prompt payment if desired. Remember that we are the only bank in the Northwest Ohio to-day. Call on Mr. E. GUNN, Rooms 25 and 27 Opera House Block, Lima, O.

Harley's Ice Cream Soda

WITH CRUSHED FRUITS,

Is simply the best drink discovered up to the present time.

TALES OF THE TOWN.

This is the last week of school.

The closure in the post office lobby is being cleaned.

A telephone was placed in J. L. Price's office to-day.

Henry Zimmerman who has been very sick from fever for several days, was better today.

Bil Gunn was run in last night for drunkenness. He was fined \$6.30 by Mayor McComb this morning.

The three months old infant of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Boley was buried in the Allen town cemetery this morning.

Several boys had a fight at the Lima Home corner Saturday evening. They skipped before the police arrived.

Yesterday afternoon policemen Heller and Roney broke up a swimming party in Hog Creek, near the P. F. W. & C. bridge.

Charles Dunleavy, who had his leg broken while in Pittsburgh several weeks ago, was able to down town on crutches today.

Rev. Wm. M. Davis, of Gomer, will preach in the Welsh language at the Congregational church this evening at 7:30 sharp.

T. E. Ghriet, of west Wayne street, died last night, from consumption. The remains will be taken to Troy tomorrow afternoon for burial.

W. F. Martin, who is in the employ of W. L. Price, and his wife Anthony here from Portland Ind., and is living at 207 North West street.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union of Perry T. P., will hold a meeting at Perry Union Saturday evening, June 17th. Rev. Grant Spear, of Beaver Dam, will be present.

H. Rechner has removed his family from Custer, and is living on north McDonald street. Mr. Rechner is employed at L. H. Heinrich's general store in the Cincinnati block.

Complaint was made to the authorities today by Wm. Crosson, that Biggs, a south Elizabeth street boy, had beaten his ten year old son. Young Biggs will probably be arrested.

Gus Brothman, having passed a very successful examination at the Cincinnati Law school, is now a full fledged lawyer and will practice the profession in connection with his father.

Two of the Italians arrested Saturday for threatening Mike Tohey's life were fined \$10 and costs by Mayor McComb this morning and the others allowed to go. They promised to leave the city.

The main belt at the Monroe Manufacturing company's works, South Lima, had been moved and was necessary to have the machinery department shut down all day while it was being repaired.

Saturday night a crowd of noisy rowdies held down the pavement at the Lima Home corner for several hours, greatly to the annoyance of the occupants of the hotel and pedestrians. There is an ordinance against loitering on the streets and it should be enforced.

GRAIN MARKET.

The following gives the Chicago grain market for today:

Open Highest Lowest Close,

Wheat..... \$2.50 65¢ 63¢ 70¢

Sorghum..... 72¢ 73¢ 72¢ 70¢

Corn..... 25¢ 26¢ 25¢ 26¢

Oats..... 41¢ 42¢ 40¢ 40¢

Rye..... 28¢ 29¢ 28¢ 29¢

Park..... \$2.00 22¢ 20¢ 21¢

September..... 21 20 22 20

BUCHANAN Bros. & Co.

All Nice and New.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Glitter, of North Elizabeth street, a boy.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Shee, of North McDonald street, a boy.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. James Quincy, of South Lima, a boy.

SLUGGING.

Several Limited Boxing Bouts at Cairo.

A Gorilla Slugger Knocks a Cairo Man Out--Other Events.

The sports of Cairo were treated to several pugilistic encounters on Saturday night, under the management of Peter Kirwin, of Cairo.

Charles Jones, of Gomer, and Jim Fowler, of West Cairo, put on the gloves. They pounded each other about the ring for two rounds, when the Cairo men went out.

Kirwin then gave a good exhibition of club swinging and dancing.

The next on the bill was to be an eight round sparring match between Peter Ridge and New Galvin. New did not show up, and Jack Steplton, of Toledo, took his place. Time was called about 10 o'clock, and they started into slugging for three rounds. In the fourth round Kirwin got Ridge near the ropes and made a feint to seize his stomach, the latter dropping both hands to take advantage of this, and landing a right hand on the jaw section.

John K. Brice, of Lima, says a dispatch from Cleveland, who has in years past acted as general western agent for his brother, Senator Calvin S. Brice, has come to call him with the contents of the Executive Mansion. He will be the Cleveland agent for the American Surety company, of New York.

Go definite arrangements have been completed in the O. N. G. equipment at Celina, but it is understood that the camp will be ready to receive its troops in time to meet the regulars.

Franklin A. Steplton has filed his petition in Common Pleas court, asking to be released from his wife, Maggie. They were married in 1890, and he is named in Grover, but that didn't keep Maggie from staying away from home for weeks, and refusing to house work when there, and otherwise performing in an unseemly manner. For these reasons, Franklin thinks life would be pleasanter without her.

The Pythian Lodge at Bellefontaine have decided to dedicate their new castle July 10. Arrangements are being made for a big time. Invitations will be extended to the Pythian Lodge of the State. A uniformed rank parade and a banquet will be held.

Architect John Chapin has drawn the plans and made the estimates for a new opera house at St. Marys. The ground floor will be used for business rooms. The building will be 100 feet wide by 125 feet deep.

Harriet B. Lovens vs Geo. R. Collum et al, foreclosed. Award \$1,200. County Clerk Tolson and Probate Judge Lundemann were busy today with pension papers.

QUARTERLY SESSION.

The commissioners began their quarterly session today. The first quarterly report of the Children's Home Trustees was recorded and filed.

Jacob A. Greenau and J. W. Newling were appointed receivers for the Elzie County road alterations.

Reports of receivers on the Degan and Grindon roads were read the first time, and an application from J. C. Ford et al for the re-opening of a road in Marion township was received. The infantry directors were also satisfied with the bill of fare.

Horace Curran, last Saturday received a telegram from New York a cold stick about four feet long and from one to one and one-half inches in diameter which was sent by his daughter, Dan Bowers.

McClure states that he only wants his daughter to have the stick and only for a few days and gave both of them a warning. His daughter is adverse to having Bowers arrested but he visited a doctor in Sidney and will swear out a warrant if the brutalities continue.

Buried This Morning.

The funeral services of Michael Conner, the G. & D. brakeman who died at the hands of a drunkard on North Jackson street Saturday morning, were held at the St. Rose Catholic church at 9 o'clock this morning and was very largely attended.

The members of Lima Lodge No. 299, B. of C. of which the deceased was a member, attended in full body, and furnished some very beautiful floral tributes. The remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery.

Attention, Knights of the Ku Klux.

Regular meeting Tuesday evening, June 1. The presence of every member is desired as this is important business needing immediate attention. By Order

SIN KNIGHT COMMANDER.

OIL AND GAS.

Closing market, 61c.

Hickey's Pipe Line runs June 30, 31, 52¢ 50¢ 50¢ 50¢ 50¢.

entire amount now up, \$500, including the \$100 forfeit posted by the club for the purse.

Blake's Backers Try to Squirm Out of the Fight.

The Metropolitan Club's action was undoubtedly brought about by Blake's backers thinking at the last moment, as it seems strange that the authorities would interfere at this late date, when they guaranteed protection and have always had it heretofore.

Bayliff and his backers are willing to fight anywhere and are anxious to hear from Columbus in regard to the matter as they want the mill to come off.

The endorsed paper, the \$10,000 overture, may be forced to come off if the mills are not resumed and the backer's money is not paid on hand. Subsequent to the plant of the Hospital Supply company to George Barney and Co. The Savings Bank Supply company, of Lima, has been sold to the Hospital Supply company.

Lima Hospital Supply company to

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